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THE CONVERTER

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 16, 2007. The response date having been extended by two months to October 16, 2007 by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith.

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